

YURI TAKEMURA (b. 1980, Japan)

EDUCATION

- 2006-9 Trained at Kanazawa Utatsuyama Crafts Studio, Ishikawa
2005-6 Artist in Residence, Shigaraki Ceramic Cultural Park, Shiga, Japan
2004 B.F.A. Aichi Prefectural University of Fine Arts and Music, Japan

SOLO EXHIBITION (SELECTED)

- 2013 Mitsukoshi Nihonbashi, Tokyo (Also in 2016, 2020)
2012 Matsuzakaya Nagoya, Aichi (Also in 2020)
2007 Takashimaya, Kyoto
Galleria Ponte, Ishikawa (Also in 2011, 2013, 2015)

GROUP EXHIBITION (SELECTED)

- 2022 Melting Point: Movements in Clay, Mulan Gallery, Singapore
2021 Mimesis, Mulan Gallery, Singapore
2019 The Glory of Tainan, Tainan Art Museum, Taiwan
2018 Art Crafting Towards the Future Continued (Wako Hall, Tokyo)
2017 Rising Star: Dancing Colors of Takemura Yuri (Joan B. Mirviss Gallery, New York)
2015 Japanese Kogei | Future Forward, The Museum of Arts and Design, New York, USA
Contemporary Fantastic Ceramics by 6 female artists, Wako Hall, Tokyo
2014 International Japanische Progressive Keramik Trifft auf Japanische Avantgardistische Malerei, Galerie IAC-Berling-Koigswinter and Tenri Kultur Werkstatt, Germany
Contemporary Ceramic Art Phenomenon, Ibaraki Ceramic Art Museum, Ibaraki, Japan
Dialogue with Materials, Contemporary Fine Japanese Arts and Crafts, Ahmed Adnan Saygun Sanat Merkezi in Izmir, Turkey
2013 La Céramique Japonaise : Une nouvelle Génération, un Nouveau Souffle, Espace Culturel Bertin Poirée, Paris, France
8th Paramita Ceramic Art Grand Prize Exhibition, Paramita Museum, Mie, Japan
La Nouvelle Génération de Céramistes, Galerie7, Luxembourg,
2012 Art Crafting Towards the Future, 21st Century Museum of Contemporary Art, Ishikawa, Japan
A Sense of Beauty, Takashimaya Tokyo, Osaka, Kyoto, Nagoya and Yokohama, Japan
2011 1st Contemporary Kogei Art Fair, Tokyo
2010 1st International Triennale of Kogei, Contemporary Art Citizen's Gallery, Kanazawa
Territoires en Mouvement de la Ceramicque Contemporaine Japon, Espace Culturel Bertin Poirée, Paris, France
2008 Taiwan Ceramic Biennale (Yingge Ceramics Museum, Taiwan)
2007 4th World Ceramic Biennale (Yeoju World Livingware Gallery, South Korea)

AWARDS

- 2009 President of The Hokkoku Shinbun Award, The 65th Kanazawa Crafts Exhibition, Ishikawa, Japan
2008 Yomiuri Shinbun Award, The 47th Japan Crafts Exhibition, Tokyo, Japan
Kanazawa Utatsuyama Crafts Workshop Award, The 21st Century Museum of Contemporary Art, Kanazawa, Japan
Special Judges Award (Piet Stockmans), The 8th International Ceramics Competition Mino, Gifu, Japan

- 2007 Encouragement Award, The 63rd Kanazawa Crafts Exhibition, Ishikawa, Japan
Kanazawa Utatsuyama Crafts Workshop Award, The 21st Century Museum of Contemporary Art, Kanazawa, Japan
Encouragement Award, The 2nd Kikuchi Biennale, Tomo Museum, Tokyo, Japan
- 2006 Chairman Award, The 21st Cultural Festival in Yamaguchi, Ceramics Exhibition, Hagi, Japan
Juror Prize, The 46th Japan Crafts Exhibition, Tokyo, Japan

PUBLIC COLLECTIONS (SELECTED)

Shigaraki Ceramic Cultural Park, Japan
Ibaraki Ceramic Art Museum, Japan
Kanazawa Utatsuyama Crafts Workshop, Japan
21st Century Museum of Contemporary Art, Kanazawa, Japan
Anadolu University Contemporary Arts Museum, Turkey
Portland Art Museum